

COMBINED DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY  
IN ORIGINAL APPLICATION

Docket No. DCS-9121

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name;

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled CANISTER FOR INVENTORYING IDENTIFICATION TEST DEVICES IN AN AUTOMATED MICROBIOLOGICAL ANALYZER, the specification of which

(check  
one)

☒ is attached hereto.

☐ was filed on \_\_\_\_\_ as  
 Application Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_  
 and was amended on \_\_\_\_\_  
 (if applicable)

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the examination of this application in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, §1.56(a).

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, §119 of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate listed below and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed:

Prior Foreign Application(s)			<u>Priority Claimed</u>	
			YES	NO
_____ (Number)	_____ (Country)	_____ (Day/Month/Year Filed)		
_____ (Number)	_____ (Country)	_____ (Day/Month/Year Filed)	YES	NO

I hereby appoint the following attorney(s) and/or agent(s) to prosecute this application and to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith:

Louise S. Pearson ..... 32,369  
 Lois K. Ruzala ..... 39,074  
 Cynthia G. Tymeson ..... 34,745  
 Leland K. Jordan ..... 36,560

Address all telephone calls to Lois K. Ruzala


At telephone no. 847-267-5364

Address all correspondence to: Dade Behring Inc.  
 Legal Department  
 1717 Deerfield Road, Box 778  
 Deerfield, IL 60015-0778

(1053F)

COMBINED DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY  
IN ORIGINAL APPLICATION

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

Full Name of Sole or First Inventor	Inventor's Signature	Date
Peter Louis Gebrian		7/5/01
Residence	Citizenship	
1306 Biggs Road, Wilmington, DE 19805	USA	
Post Office Address		
Same		
Full Name of Second Joint Inventor, if any	Inventor's Signature	Date
Allan Lee Cameron		
Residence	Citizenship	
1 Edson Road, South Natick, MA 01760	USA	
Post Office Address		
Same		
Full Name of Third Joint Inventor, if any	Inventor's Signature	Date
Alan Christopher Mudd		
Residence	Citizenship	
25 Pierce Avenue, Beverly, MA 01915	USA	
Post Office Address		
Same		
Full Name of Fourth Joint Inventor, if any	Inventor's Signature	Date
Richard O'Brien		
Residence	Citizenship	
20 Gilman Road, Waltham, MA 02452	USA	
Post Office Address		
Same		
Full Name of Fifth Joint Inventor, if any	Inventor's Signature	Date
David Orrin Swett		
Residence	Citizenship	
44 Capitol Street, Watertown, MA 02472	USA	
Post Office Address		
Same		
Full Name of Sixth Joint Inventor, if any	Inventor's Signature	Date
Adrian Mark Thomas West		
Residence	Citizenship	
23 Wedgewood Road, West Newton, MA 02465	UK	
Post Office Address		
Same		

(1053F)

COMBINED DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY  
IN ORIGINAL APPLICATION

Docket No. DCS-9121

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name;

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled CANISTER FOR INVENTORING IDENTIFICATION TEST DEVICES IN AN AUTOMATED MICROBIOLOGICAL ANALYZER, the specification of which

(check one)      ☒ is attached hereto.  
☐ was filed on \_\_\_\_\_ as  
Application Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_  
and was amended on \_\_\_\_\_  
(if applicable)

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the examination of this application in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, §1.56(a).

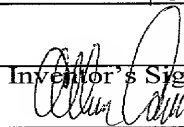
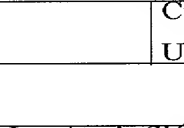
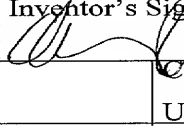
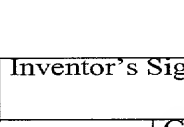
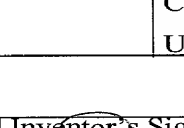
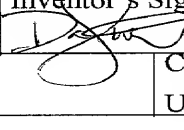
I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, §119 of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate listed below and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed:

Prior Foreign Application(s)			<u>Priority Claimed</u>	
_____ (Number)	_____ (Country)	_____ (Day/Month/Year Filed)	YES	NO
_____ (Number)	_____ (Country)	_____ (Day/Month/Year Filed)	YES	NO

I hereby appoint the following attorney(s) and/or agent(s) to prosecute this application and to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith:

Louise S. Pearson .....	32,369
Lois K. Ruzala .....	39,074
Cynthia G. Tymeson .....	34,745
Leland K. Jordan .....	36,560

[illegible]

Full Name of Sole or First Inventor		Inventor's Signature	Date
Peter Louis Gebrian			7-9-01
Residence			
1306 Biggs Road, Wilmington, DE 19805			
Post Office Address		Citizenship	USA
Same			
Full Name of Second Joint Inventor, if any		Inventor's Signature	Date
Allan Lee Cameron			7-9-01
Residence			
1 Edson Road, South Natick, MA 01760			
Post Office Address		Citizenship	USA
Same			
Full Name of Third Joint Inventor, if any		Inventor's Signature	Date
Alan Christopher Mudd			7/10/01
Residence			
25 Pierce Avenue, Beverly, MA 01915			
Post Office Address		Citizenship	USA
Same			
Full Name of Fourth Joint Inventor, if any		Inventor's Signature	Date
Richard O'Brien			
Residence			
20 Gilman Road, Waltham, MA 02452			
Post Office Address		Citizenship	USA
Same			
Full Name of Fifth Joint Inventor, if any		Inventor's Signature	Date
David Orrin Swett			7/9/01
Residence			
44 Capitol Street, Watertown, MA 02472			
Post Office Address		Citizenship	USA
Same			
Full Name of Sixth Joint Inventor, if any		Inventor's Signature	Date
Adrian Mark Thomas West			7/9/01
Residence			
23 WEDGEWOOD RD., W. NEWTON, MA 02465			
		Citizenship	UK